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March 30, 1999

BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application for Approval of Wisconsin Fuel and Light  
Company's Proposed Gas Recovery Mechanism

6640-GR-107

**NOTICE OF PROCEEDING  
AND  
INVESTIGATION AND ASSESSMENT OF COSTS  
AND  
PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

**Prehearing Conference Date: April 19, 1999 – 10:00 a.m.**

**Conference Location: Public Service Commission, 610 North Whitney Way,  
Madison, WI (Amnicon Falls Hearing Room - 1<sup>st</sup> Floor)**

**THIS IS A PROCEEDING TO** consider the application of Wisconsin Fuel and Light Company, filed October 30, 1997 under Wis. Stat. §§ 196.03, 196.20 and 196.37, for approval of its proposed Gas Cost Recovery Mechanism. Copies of the application can be obtained by written request to Wisconsin Fuel and Light Company, 211 Forest Street, P.O. Box 1627, Wausau, WI 54402-1627.

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that the Commission will hold a prehearing conference on April 19, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. in the Amnicon Falls Hearing Room at the Public Service Commission Building, 610 North Whitney Way, Madison, Wisconsin, and continuing at times to be set by the presiding Hearing Examiner. This building is accessible to people in wheelchairs through the Whitney Way first floor (lobby) entrance. Parking for people with disabilities is available on the south side of the building. Any person with a disability who needs additional accommodations should contact the case coordinator listed below.

The prehearing conference is being held to: 1) identify persons who will actively participate as full parties; 2) identify issues; 3) determine the date and time for a hearing;

4) specify dates for filing testimony and exhibits; and 5) any other matters that will facilitate the hearing.

Full parties will be bound by the designation of issues and the schedule adopted at the prehearing conference. Persons who consider themselves to be potential full parties should participate in the prehearing conference. Persons who desire to actively participate as full parties must request full party status in writing. Full party status requests should be addressed to Jeffrey Patzke, Hearing Examiner, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin, Examining Division, P.O. Box 7854, Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7854.

This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to Gail Maly, case coordinator, at (608) 267-9327.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, \_\_\_\_\_

By the Commission:

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Lynda L. Dorr  
Secretary to the Commission

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